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Whereas, it seems as if Sam and Emily (Turnage) Barr have been together forever since that blissful day on January 6, 1935, when they began their new life together as husband and wife by exchanging their sacred nuptial vows during a beautiful wedding ceremony in Liberty, Missouri; and

Whereas, during their seventy wondrous years as partners in marriage, Sam and Emily Barr have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include two children, Jack Barr and the late Beverly Barr; and

Whereas, Sam Barr provided a comfortable home and secure future for his loved ones through his successful endeavors as a cattleman, developer, and Thoroughbred horse breeder; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Emily Bar offered her children boundless emotional support, guidance, and understanding which enhanced their lives in countless ways; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Barr have enjoyed serving their community in several ways over the past seven decades, Sam as a Clay County Republican Committeeman, an Elder Emeritus with the First Christian Church, and a member of the Lions Club, Kearney School Board, and the Board of Directors for the Platte-Clay Electric Cooperative, the American Angus Association, and the American Chianina Association; while Emily has enjoyed recognition as an Elder Emeritus with the First Christian Church, a member of the American Angus Association Ladies Auxiliary, and as a Leader with the Kearney 4-H Club; and

Whereas, Sam and Emily Barr of Kearney, Missouri, commemorated the very extraordinary occasion of their Seventieth Wedding Anniversary on January 6, 2005; and

Whereas, Sam and Emily Barr undoubtedly look to the future with optimism as a truly amazing couple whose love will last an eternity:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Sam and Emily Barr for their success in attaining this most significant milestone in their married life and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey together forever walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barr, as a measure of our tremendous esteem for them.

Offered by	
_	Representative Doug Ervin
	District No. 35

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 191, adopted January 20, 2005.